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REQUEST FOR CREDIT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

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SIR:

We are requesting a review of the \$1,440.00 Issue Fee (Fee Code 1501) that was charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1442, for the above referenced patent application. The Issue Fee was initially paid on March 24, 2005, in the amount of \$1,700.00 (\$1,400 Issue Fee and \$300 Publication Fee - pertinent filing papers attached including the date-stamped filing receipt evidencing same). Additionally, per the Examiner's request, we indicated that the previously applied Issue and Publication fees be applied to the current fees due on the current Issue Fee transmittal form (PTOL-85). Due to the increase in the amount of Government Fees effective October 1, 2007, we authorized the Deposit Account to be debited the additional \$40.00; however, the account was debited the entire \$1,440.00.

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Therefore, since the Issue Fee was previously paid, we are respectfully requesting a refund in the amount of \$1,400.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1442.

Respectfully submitted,

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